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Applicant(s): Hung-Yu CHIU et al.

Invention: MEMORY DEVICE AND METHOD FOR FORMING A PASSIVATION LAYER THEREON

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In reply to the Office Action dated October 31, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

Amendments to the Claims; and

Remarks.